New Parishoner:

Theresa Jacobs

## FAMILIES IN MINISTRIES

Gene Teves and Mona Teves

Marge and Bob Mielke

Juan Cho, Lola Baptista, Josephine & Felix

Kanossa and Stephen Choy

Cynthia and Bruce Keller

Dawn, Libert, Abbie, and Zachary Tong

Jijie and Anna Fujii

Joyce Kawamura and Rod Ohira

Walter and Winnie Lau

Christine and Michael Lai

Les Loo and Edna Loo

Isaac, Claire, Wesley and Lynda Taira

Vernon Rivera and Gladys Emperador

Leah and Chris McEvoy

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May 26, 2019

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**Mission Statement:**
***Living the Gospel of Our Lord as a Community of Faith.***

## CHURCH SCHEDULE

**OFFICE HOURS**
*Monday - Friday*
*8:00 a.m. to 1 p.m.*

*Closed all State & Federal Holidays*

**FOOD PANTRY**
*Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday*
*10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.*

**WEEKDAY MASS**
*Monday to Saturday*
*7:30 a.m.*

**WEEKEND MASS**
*Saturday, 4:00 p.m.*
*Sunday, 8:30 a.m.*

**CONFESSIONS**
*Saturday*
*5:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.*
*or by appointment*

Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Friday, May 31st

***Upcoming Events***

MAY 27 - JUNE 2, 2019

**27th - MONDAY**
7:10 AM Rosary - Church
**7:30** AM **MASS - Church**
8:00 AM Outreach - Hall/Kitchen
9:00 AM Crafty Ladies - Conf Room
10:00 AM Bible Study - Church Cry Rm
5:30 PM Hula - Hall

**28th - TUESDAY**
7:10 AM Rosary- Church
**7:30 AM MASS – Church**
9:00 AM Outreach - Hall / Kitchen
10:00 AM Food Pantry - Hall
5:00 PM Hula - Hall
5:00 PM Bell Choir - Conference Room
7:00 PM Korean Mass - Church

**29th - WEDNESDAY**
7:10 AM Rosary - Church
**7:30 AM MASS - Church**
9:00 AM Outreach - Hall / Kitchen
10:00 AM Food Pantry - Hall
10:00 AM Korean Mass - Church
10:30 AM Bell Choir Practice - Conf Room

**30th - THURSDAY**
7:10 AM Rosary - Church
**7:30 AM MASS - Church**
9:00 AM Sandwich Making - Hall/Kitchen
9:00 AM Hawaiian Quilting Club - Hall
9:00 AM Crafty Ladies - Conf Room

**31st - FRIDAY**
6:00 AM Fr. Don's Shelter –Kitchen
7:10 AM Rosary - Church
**7:30 AM MASS - Church**
8:30AM Maryknoll Grad. Practice - Church
10:00 AM Food Pantry - Hall

**1st - SATURDAY**
7:10AM Rosary - Church
**7:30 AM MASS - Church**
8:00 AM Church Cleaning - Church
**4:00 PM Mass - Church**
5:00 PM Confessions - Church
12:30 PM - 2:30 PM Sunday Choir-Church

**2nd - SUNDAY**
6:30 AM Korean Mass - Church
**8:30 AM MASS - Church**
11:30 AM Korean Mass - Church
3:00 PM Korean Mass - Church

# Pastor's Corner

**Fr. Thomas Joseph PHD**

Dear Parishioners & Friends!

The Month of May dedicated to Our Blessed Mother is coming to an end on May31, with the Feast of the Visitation. Later on, in this page, you can read about this Feast.

On June 1 (Saturday) Fr. Sidney Fernandes will celebrate the 4 pm Mass. After the Mass he will remain in the Confessional to hear your confessions. The Church advocates frequent reception of the Sacrament of Reconciliation (monthly). Please make use of the opportunity. I am available for Confessions on Saturdays after mass. On other days, please call the parish office and make an appointment.

With Prayers & Blessings!
Fr. Tom

## The Visitation

(Luke 1:39-56)

*"How does this happen to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?"*

Eighty miles. That was a long way for the newly pregnant Mary to travel so that she could visit her cousin Elizabeth – especially when you consider that she either walked the whole way or rode a donkey. But what a gift that visit was for Elizabeth! Not only was she overjoyed to see Mary, but she also re-joiced in the knowledge that her lord had come to her (Luke 1:43).

Just as Mary did for Elizabeth, Mary did for all of humankind: she brought Christ to us. It's a gift that can bring us great joy, as it did for Elizabeth. It's also why since ancient times, Mary has been given such a place of honor in the Church

"In the mystery of the Annunciation and the Visitation," wrote St. Teresa of Calcutta, "Mary is the model of the life we should lead. First of all, she welcomed Jesus in her existence; then, she shared what she had received."

How can we follow Mary's example and share Christ with the people around us? The first step is to welcome him into our lives every day in prayer and, in a special way, in the Eucharist. According to Mother Teresa "Every time we receive Holy Communion, Jesus the Word becomes Flesh in our life." In other words, we become tabernacles of Christ, bearing him in our hearts just as Mary bore him in her womb.

And that's how we share him. The grace of Christ alive in us can transform every act of love, service, mercy, or generosity into an opportunity for people to encounter Jesus himself. It's not that we are trying extra hard to act like Jesus; as it happened with Mary, the changes that Jesus makes in our lives can't help but touch the people around us.

When you visit an ailing neighbor, call an estranged family member, or pause to warmly greet a harried cashier at the grocery store, you are doing much more than offering a kind gesture. You are letting Christ, who lives in you, actually work through you.

So where does Jesus want you to take him today?

*"Lord, thank you for the example of our Blessed Mother, Mary. Help me to become an even more effective bearer of your life."*
(Taken from The Word Among Us)



## Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

8:30 am - Sun, May 26
Eusebio Tan +
7:30 am - Mon, May 27
Mary Ann Schuette +
7:30am - Tues, May 28
Gloria Dung +
7:30am - Fri, May 31
Gloria Dung +
4:00 pm—Sat, June 1
Pro Populo

## MASS INTENTIONS

The best way to remember our dear departed is by praying for them. And the best prayer we can offer is the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Masses can be offered for health and healing, in thanksgiving, for birthday blessings, etc. So I encourage you to walk into the parish office and register. A donation of $10.00 per Mass is requested.

Please make checks payable to:
St Pius X Church
Mahalo!

## SUNDAY COLLECTION

**May 19, 2019**

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| **Total Collection…..……..$** | **2,054.00** |
| Building Fund……$ | 57.00 |
| C&C Rebate…… .$ | 21.30 |
| Donation …… …...$ | 20.00 |
| Hall Rental…… …..$ | 700.00 |
| IHS ……...…… .$ | 300.00 |
| Ins. For Use of Hall … ...$ | 95.00 |
| Memorial Mass ……... .$ | 300.00 |
| **Total Weekly Deposit…....$** | **3,547.30** |

NEVER DOUBT THE POWER OF PRAYER

New Vestments!
A special "Thank You" to Carol Moad for her generous contribution of $2,500 to be used towards purchasing new vestments.

Do you love music and like to sing?

*We invite you to come join the Music Ministry!*

## *Pray the Rosary*

***The rosary will be prayed at 7:10am daily before mass except Sunday at St. Pius X Parish.***

***Please come and pray with us.***

**Readings for the Week**

***Sunday, May 26***
*Sixth Sunday of Easter*
Acts 15:1-2, 22-29
Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23
John 14:23-29

***Monday, May 27***
***6th Week of Easter***
***St Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop***
Acts 16:11-15
John 15:26-16:4a

***Tuesday, May 28***
***6th Week of Easter***
Acts 16:22-34
John 16:5-11

***Wednesday, May 29***
***6th Week of Easter***
Acts 17:15, 22-18:1
John 16:12-15

***Thursday, May 30***
***6th Week of Easter***
***Ascension of the Lord (Solemnity)***
Acts 18:1-8
John 16:16-20

***Friday, May 31***
***6th Week of Easter***
***Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary***
Luke 1:39-56
Zephaniah 3:14-18

***Saturday, June 1***
***6th Week of Easter***
Acts 18:23-28
John 16:23-28

***Sunday, June2***
*Sixth Sunday of Easter*
***Ascension of the Lord***
Acts 1:1-11
Ephesians 1:17-23
Luke 24:46-53